## **Common Sense Initiative, Automobile Manufacturing Sector**

U.S. Automobile Assembly Plants and Their Communities: Environmental Economic, and Demographic Profile

# Part III: Automobile/Light Duty Truck Assembly Plant-Community Profiles

42. Ford Motor Co. Avon Lake, OH

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#### **Contents and Guidelines for Use**

Users of this profile should carefully review the description of methods, data limitations, and guidelines for use and interpretation of the data presented in Part I of the report.

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#### **General Guidelines for Use**

Efforts have been made to ensure that the data presented here are accurate. The Project Team could not independently verify data accuracy in all cases, however, and some errors may remain. The following is a partial list of factors that should be considered in using these profiles:

- 1. Current releases presented in this report represent only some of the contamination sources in a given area. Data on historical releases (prior to 1991) were not included, and releases from non-assembly plant emission sources were identified only through the Toxics Release Inventory (TRI). TRI data do not cover all sources of releases. Considering only TRI data for a given community may mis-state the relative contribution of plants and their neighboring TRI facilities to an area's total releases.
- 2. Care must be taken to distinguish true changes over time in environmental releases from apparent changes, due, for example, to changes in the scope of reporting requirements.
- 3. TRI data are often based on engineering estimates and are reported on an annual basis. Data on releases over shorter time frames are not available.
- 4. TRI, the Biennial Report and other databases do not include all substances and environmental releases of concern.

#### **Notes on Comparisons Across Facilities**

- 1. The following factors can affect an assembly plant's environmental profile, among other things: the number of vehicles produced, plant age, process equipment age, and vehicle size and configuration.
- 2. Some plants are highly-integrated, performing some parts and all assembly steps in-house. Others obtain parts from other manufacturing facilities, or share assembly operations with another plant.
- 3. States differ in how they define hazardous waste and how they treat recycled wastes and small quantity generators. Therefore, data on quantities of BRS wastes generated may not be comparable for plants located in different states.
- 4. Area-wide averages for economic and demographic characteristics may be better or worse measures of the plant's immediate community, depending on the specific location of a plant within the reporting area.

LOCATION 650 Miller Rd., Avon Lake OH 44012 Plant in 1974; produced Mercury Villager and Nissan Quest Van Address DESCRIPTION in 1994.

Lat/Long: latitude (degrees N) 41 29' 7"

longitude (degrees W) 82 3' 50"

MSA: Cleveland-Lorain-Elyria OH County: Lorain

Other counties within 3 miles of plant: Cuyahoga **ID NUMBERS** 

RCRA ID OHD020626669 AIRS ID AFS3909300056

44012FRDMT650MI

NPDES ID OHR000002

**OPERATIONS** Production **Employment** TRI

> 0 Calendar Year: 1991 1992 39,266 1993 142,412 1994

153,786 3,440

#### PLANT ENVIRONMENTAL PROFILE

RCRA BIENNIAL REPORT								
						Quantity	Quantity	Quantity
Waste Code(s)	Wastewater?	Physical Form	Source	Mgd. On/Off-Site	Management Method	Generated (tons)	Shipped (tons)	Mgd. On-Site (tons)
1991								
D001 (ignit) F002, F003, F005 (solvents)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	18.3	18.3	0.0
D001 (ignit) F001, F003, F005 (solvents)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	213.2	213.2	0.0
D001 (ignitable)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	505.6	505.6	0.0
D001 (ignitable)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	90.0	90.0	0.0
1(ignit) D018 (benzene) D039 (tetrachlrethyl	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	0.1	0.1	0.0
D001(ignit) F003, F005 (solvents)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	65.1	65.1	0.0
D001(ignit) F003, F005 (solvents)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	10.8	10.8	0.0
D002 (corrosive)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	2.6	2.6	0.0
D002 (corrosive)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	6.2	6.2	0.0
D002 (corrosive) D009 (mercury)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	0.5	0.5	0.0
D008 (lead)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	37.0	37.0	0.0
D008 (lead)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	25.8	25.8	0.0
TOTAL - 1991						975.3	975.3	0.0
1993								
D001 (ignitable)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	4.3	4.3	0.0
D001(ignitable) D018 (benzene)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	0.4	0.4	0.0
D001(ignitable) D035 (MEK)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	24.0	24.0	0.0
D001(ignitable) F003 (solvents)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	0.3	0.3	0.0
D001(ignitable) F003 (solvents)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	1,070.5	1,070.5	0.0
D001(ignitable) F003 (solvents)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	214.3	214.3	0.0
D001, D005, D007, D008	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	8.9	8.9	0.0
D001, D005, D007, D008, F003	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	80.9	80.9	0.0
D001, D005, D007, D008, F003	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	189.6	189.6	
D001, D007, D008	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	0.9	0.9	0.0
D001, D008, D039	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	0.9	0.9	0.0
D001, D018, D039	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	1.5	1.5	0.0
D001, D035, F003, F005	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	5.3	5.3	0.0
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#### PLANT ENVIRONMENTAL PROFILE (continued)

			_			Quantity	Quantity	Quantity	
Waste Code(s)	Wastewater?	Physical Form	Source	Mgd. On/Off-Site	Management Method	Generated (tons)	Shipped (tons)	Mgd. On-Site (tons)	
1993 (continued)	2	Not ron't	Not roult	Off	Not roult	0.2	0.2	0.0	
D006 (cadmium) D008 (lead)	?	Not rep't Not rep't	Not rep't Not rep't	Off	Not rep't Not rep't	9.5	9.5		
D008 (lead)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	1.4	1.4		
D008 (lead) D009 (mercury)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	0.5	0.5		
D009 (mercury)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	0.2	0.2		
D018 (benzene)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	0.9	0.9	0.0	
D018 (benzene)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	0.2	0.2	0.0	
F002 (halog. solvents)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	1.1	1.1	0.0	
F003 (non-halog solvents)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	0.7	0.7	0.0	
F003 (non-halog solvents)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	0.3	0.3	0.0	
F003 (non-halog solvents)	?	Not rep't	Not rep't	Off	Not rep't	1.0	1.0	0.0	
TOTAL - 19	93					1,617.6	1,617.6	0.0	
XICS RELEASE INVENTORY									
	Air-Fugitive	Air-Stack	Total	Discharge	Off-Site	Off-Site	Off-Site	Off-Site	To
tal lbs of TRI chemicals:	Emissions	Emissions	Releases	to POTW	Energy Recovery	Recycling	Treatment	Disposal	Transf
1991	7,169	598,360	605,529	22,260	141,300	187,330	18,071	11,300	380,
1992	25,396	652,216	677,612	27,532	92,852	392,440	22,951	9,060	544.
1993	9,421	385,051	394,472	9,881	58,076	614,370	21,941	16,425	720,
1994	12,828	986.156	998,984	46,981	28,773	1,321,870	18,443	30,540	1,446,
s. per vehicle produced:	,			,	==,	,==,,=.	,	,	, ,
1991	_	-	-	_		_	-	-	
1992	0.65	16.61	17.26	0.70	2.36	9.99	0.58	0.23	1
1993	0.07		2.77		0.41	4.31	0.15		
1994	0.08		6.50		0.19		0.12	0.20	

#### PLANT ENVIRONMENTAL PROFILE (continued)

#### 1994 TRI Emissions/Releases by Chemical (lbs.)

	Air-Fugitive	Air-Stack	Total	Discharge	Off-Site	Off-Site	Off-Site	Off-Site	Total
Chemical Name	Emissions	Emissions	Releases	to POTW	Energy Recovery	Recycling	Treatment	Disposal	Transfers
METHANOL	1,200	65,000	66,200	0	750	0	0	0	750
N-BUTYL ALCOHOL	730	140,000	140,730	0	1,750	78,000	0	0	79,750
BENZENE	0	50	50	0	11	0	0	0	11
METHYL ETHYL KETONE	5,000	22,000	27,000	0	720	25,000	0	0	25,720
1,2,4-TRIMETHYLBENZENE	8	1,600	1,608	0	550	27,000	0	0	27,550
ETHYLBENZENE	130	26,000	26,130	0	2,815	150,000	0	0	152,815
ETHYLENE GLYCOL	0	0	0	2,100	0	870	0	0	2,970
METHYL ISOBUTYL KETONE	470	93,000	93,470	0	5,150	260,000	0	0	265,150
TOLUENE	140	28,000	28,140	0	560	13,000	0	0	13,560
CYCLOHEXANE	0	2	2	0	22	0	0	0	22
PROPYLENE	0	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
DI(2-ETHYLHEXYL) PHTHALATE	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,600	0	1,600
XYLENE (MIXED ISOMERS)	2,300	450,000	452,300	0	14,300	730,000	0	0	744,300
METHYL TERT-BUTYL ETHER	0	490	490	0	55	0	0	0	55
ANTIMONY COMPOUNDS	0	0	0	1	0	0	1,093	10	1,104
BARIUM COMPOUNDS	0	9	9	110		0	3,027	980	4,117
GLYCOL ETHERS	2,600	160,000	162,600	38,000	2,090	38,000	0	0	78,090
LEAD COMPOUNDS	0	0	0	420		0	1,113	3,800	5,333
MANGANESE COMPOUNDS	0	0	0	4,100	0	0	5,300	8,400	17,800
NICKEL COMPOUNDS	0	0	0	950	0	0	1,200	1,950	4,100
ZINC COMPOUNDS	250	0	250	1,300	0	0	5,110	15,400	21,810
TOTAL	12,828	986,156	998,984	46,981	28,773	1,321,870	18,443	30,540	1,446,607
VOC/NOx Emissions:									
(lbs/year)	VOCs	NOx							
1990		20,080							
1991	NA NA	NA.							
1992		NA NA							
1993	NA NA	NA NA							
1994	NA NA	NA NA							
1004	101	101							

#### **COMMUNITY ENVIRONMENTAL PROFILE**

TRI Chemical Releases & Transfers from Sources Within 3 Miles of Auto/LDT Plant (Ibs.)

Facility (w. map #) Air-Fugitive Air-Stack Total Discharge Off-Site Total Emissions Emissions Releases to POTW Transfers Transfers

[none]

Air Quality Attainment Status (as of 1994)

ozone - nonattainment (moderate)\*

carbon monoxide - attainment or unclassifiable

particulates - unclassifiable lead - unclassifiable

NO2 - cannot be classified or better than national standards

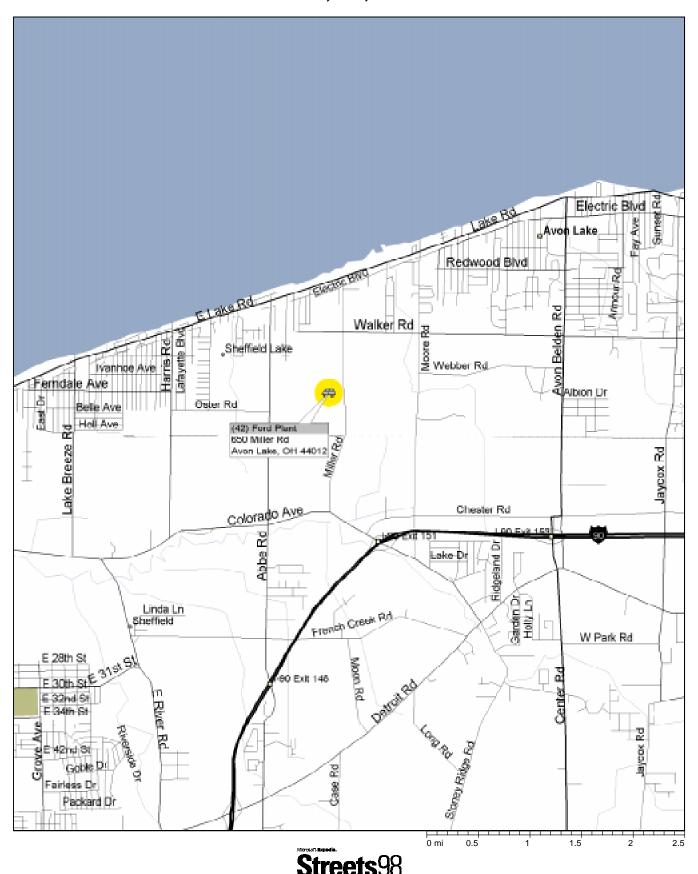
SO2 - attainment

\* redesignated attainment effective 5/7/96 (61 FR 20458)

#### COMMUNITY DEMOGRAPHIC AND ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS

	Census Block	0-1 Mile	0-3 Miles	1-3 Miles	3-5 Miles	County	State	u.s.
Total Population (1994) Total Population (1990) % Change 1990-1994 Total Area (sq. mi.) (1990) Population/sq. mi. (land area) (1990)	NA 126 NA 2.6 49	NA 337 NA 3.1 138	NA 16,246 NA 28.2 910	NA 15,909 NA 25.1 1,032	NA 29,171 NA 50.2 1,092	279,408 271,126 3 492.6 550	11,102,268 10,847,115 2 40,952.6 265	260,340,990 248,709,873 5 3,536,278.1 70
Median Household Income (1994) Median Household Income (1989) % Change 1979-1989 (constant \$) % Change 1989-1994 (constant \$)						NA 31,098 -9 NA	31,855 28,706 -4 11	32,264 30,056 7 7
Per Capita Personal Income (1993) Per Capita Personal Income (1989) % Change 1989-1993 (current \$)						18,200 15,441 18	19,696 16,644 18	20,800 17,690 18
Minority Percentage (1990) Pct. of Households Below Poverty Level (1989)	0 25	2 10	0 7	0 7	11 19	10 28	12 24	20 20
Pct. Not Completing High School (1990)	26	20	19	19	25	24	23	25
Total Employment (1994) (civilian nonfarm) Unemployment Rate (1994)						134,091 6	5,537,000 6	131,056,000 6
Manufacturing Employment (1993) Mfgr. as % Total Employment (1993) Manufacturing Employment (1992) Production Workers (1992) % Change in Mfgr. Employment 1987-1992 Assembly Plant as % Total Mfgr. Workers						29,217 35 NA NA NA 12	1,046,039 25 1,046,000 681,000 -5	18,183,381 19 18,253,000 11,654,000 -4

## Avon Lake, OH, Ford Plant

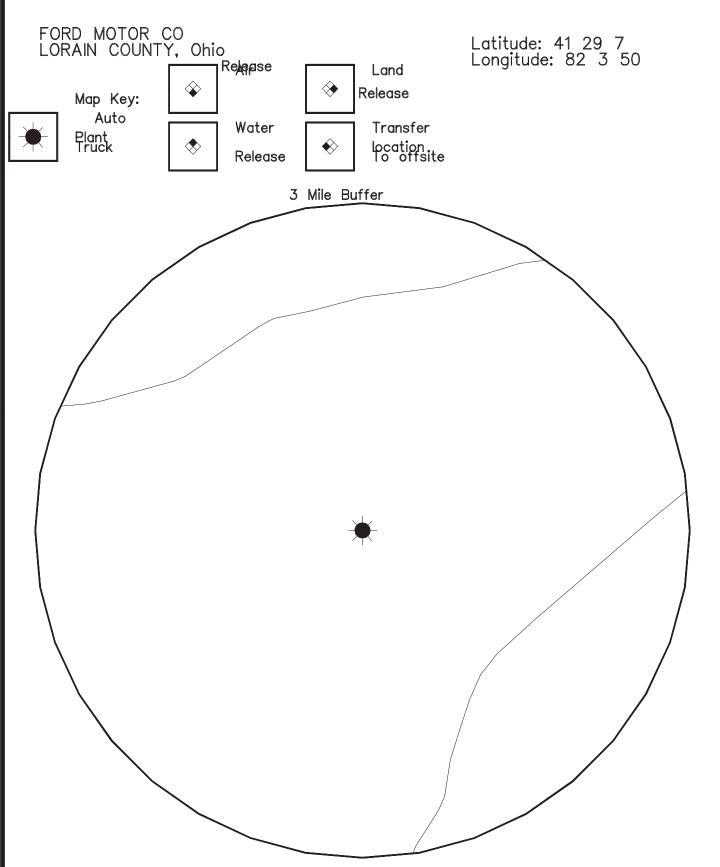


#### FORD MOTOR CO 650 MILLER RD AVON LAKE OH

Tri Number: 44012FRDMT650MI

Map #	SIC Name	Address	City	State
	OTAL FORD MOTOR OF CUIE ACCEMBLY PLANT	050 MILLED DD	AVON 4//5	011
0	3711 FORD MOTOR CO. OHIO ASSEMBLY PLANT	650 MILLER RD.	AVON LAKE	ОН

# AREA WIDE 1994 TRI EMISSION PROFILE



Number without a Symbol denotes no reported emissions over 0.5 pounds per year

# 1994 TRI EMISSIONS (LB/YEAR) AT FACILITIES WITHIN THREE MILES OF FORD MOTOR CO TRI NO: 44012FRDMT650MI

Chemical Name	Air Fugitive (Non-Point Source) Emissions	Air Stack (Point Source) Emissions	Discharge to Surface Water	On-Site Land Disposal	TOTAL RELEASES	Discharge to POTW	Transfer	TOTAL TRANSFERS
FORD MOTOR CO. OHIO ASSEMBLY	Y PLANT		SIC DESCRIPTI		R VEHICLES	& CAR BODIES	S MAP	LOCATION NO:
650 MILLER RD.		,	SIC CODE: 37	<b>T</b> T				
	H 44012							
METHANOL	1,200	65,000	0	0	66,200	0	750	750
N-BUTYL ALCOHOL	730	140,000	0	0	140,730	0	79,750	79,750
BENZENE	0	50	0	0	50	0	11	·
METHYL ETHYL KETONE	5,000	22,000	0	0	27,000	0	25,720	25,720
1,2,4-TRIMETHYLBENZENE	8	1,600	0	0	1,608	0	27,550	27,550
ETHYLBENZENE	130	26,000	0	0	26,130	0	152,815	152,815
ETHYLENE GLYCOL	0	0	0	0	0	2,100	870	2,970
METHYL ISOBUTYL KETONE	470	93,000	0	0	93,470	0	265,150	265,150
FOLUENE	140	28,000	0	0	28,140	0	13,560	13,560
CYCLOHEXANE	0	2	0	0	2	0	22	22
PROPYLENE	0	5	0	0	5	0	0	0
OI(2-ETHYLHEXYL) PHTHALATE	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,600	
KYLENE (MIXED ISOMERS)	2,300	450,000	0	0	452,300	0	744,300	
METHYL TERT-BUTYL ETHER	0	490	0	0	490	0	55	55
ANTIMONY COMPOUNDS	0	0	0	0	0	1	1,103	•
BARIUM COMPOUNDS	0	9	0	0	9	110	4,007	•
GLYCOL ETHERS	2,600	160,000	0	0	162,600	38,000	40,090	- ,
LEAD COMPOUNDS	0	0	0	0	0	420	4,913	5,333
MANGANESE COMPOUNDS	0	0	0	0	0	4,100	13,700	
NICKEL COMPOUNDS	0	0	0	0	0	950	3,150	•
ZINC COMPOUNDS	250	0	0	0	250	1,300	20,510	21,810
SUBTO	TALS 12,828	986,156	0	0	998,984	46,981	1,399,626	1,446,607

